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WEATHER FOR SALT LAKE.

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Silver, 6 1/2c per ounce.

Copper, 15c per pound.

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## CHARGES MADE WERE NOT PROVEN

**Mergenthaler Company Censured by President Roosevelt.**

**PRINTING OFFICE SCANDAL.**

**REPORT OF KEEP COMMISSION MADE PUBLIC.**

OSTON, Sept. 10.—President Roosevelt today made public the report of the Keep commission on the printing office scandal. The report, which was made by special direction of the president on account of a protest which had been received from officials of the Mergenthaler Typetting Machine Company against the award of a contract by the Lanston Monotype Company for seventy-two million copies of the report of the president, was made with the view of ascertaining whether the charges of favoritism and corruption in the letting of the contract were substantiated or not.

**Wives Were Stockholders.**

It developed by the investigation, however, that two important assistants of the public printer were indirectly interested in the Lanston company. Their wives being stockholders therein. The commission shows that a fair and impartial test of the Lanston and Mergenthaler machines was not made, and reports that the purchase of so large a number of Lanston machines was "imprudent," and indicated "great partiality and bias on the part of the public printer." The commission recommended the purchase as "maladministration."

**President's Conclusions.**

The text of the president's memorandum follows:

"The conclusions of the commission are hereby approved, save the latter part of conclusion 2, in which it is stated that there is any question as to the propriety of the contract in question. If it had not been for the fact that the Mergenthaler company in preference to the Lanston company, had been selected to print the report of the president, I should have been inclined to believe that it would be desirable to select the Lanston company, if such a course were taken, but I am not prepared to make a public printer in inquiry."

**Chafes Was Reckless.**

"In the light of the failure of the company to produce evidence of such corruption, it must be concluded that the charge was made recklessly, and the Mergenthaler company should be severely censured for the same. The charge in a formal communication to the president of the United States, made as a basis for official action, is a fair also to the Lanston Monotype company, and it is regrettable that no evidence was presented by the Lanston company, or by any of its officers or agents to the person in the government service."

**Cases to Be Taken Up.**

"Public Printer Palmer has been removed from office. The cases of the subordinates alleged to have been taken up in connection with the discipline and reorganization of the bureau when Mr. Palmer's successor assumes office."

**"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."**

## ALL QUIET IN TOKIO

**Chief of Police and Home Affairs Minister Resign on Account of the Riots.**

Tokio, Sept. 10.—Tsunayuki Adachi, chief of the metropolitan police, has resigned, and Kiyohide Seki, Nagano prefecture, has been appointed as his successor. It is believed that Viscount Yoshikawa, minister of home affairs, has tendered his resignation which is thought will be accepted. Ichiburo Yamagata, vice minister of the home department, will probably succeed Yoshikawa. The resignation of the above named officials is the result of a week of riotousness in the city, which was caused by the closing of the Miyako park to public meetings. The newspapers Nippon, Jiji, and the Asahi and the Miyako have been withdrawn and they have resumed publication. The Asahi and Nippon, published at Osaka, and the Kammon, published at Shimonoeki, have been suspended. Tokio continues to be quiet. The anticipation of trouble in the Fukuzawa district last night was not realized.

## REPORTERS IN THE REAR.

General Oku's Headquarters in the Field, Sept. 9, 11 a. m.—(Delayed in transmission.)—General Fukushima left Kaituma today for the north to meet the Russian generals and arrange the details of an armistice. General Fukushima positively refused to allow press correspondents to accompany him. The correspondents are still kept thirty miles in the rear of the army, which has not yet been informed of the signing of a peace treaty. The terms of the treaty will probably prove to be unpopular, but no demonstration is feared.

## NOTED POPULIST DEAD.

Denver, Sept. 10.—David A. Mills, prominent in People's party councils and elected secretary of the party, died today of tumor of the brain.

## M. WHITE'S VISIT TO WASHINGTON

**Russian Statesman Shown the Sights of the National Capital.**

## WHITE HOUSE INSPECTED

**TRIP TO MOUNT VERNON AND ARLINGTON.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—M. Witte and Baron Rosen, the Russian peace plenipotentiaries, accompanied by five members of the former's suite, spent Sunday in Washington. They arrived here at an early hour this morning and spent the entire day visiting the historic points in and about the city, and left again late this afternoon for New York, from which place M. Witte will sail for Hamburg next Tuesday. While here they were in charge of Acting Secretary of State Loomis and Major Charles McCawley of the marine corps, who, at the special request of the president, acted as their escorts to the various places visited.

**M. Witte Much Impressed.**

The unique character of Washington, in that it was made up largely of government buildings and private residences, impressed him very much, and he frequently made reference to the many beautiful parks, with their wealth of trees and flowers. The weather was very pleasant throughout the day.

M. Witte and his associates occupied the private Pullman car, attached to the second section of the Pennsylvania railroad train, which reached here at 7:30 this morning. The party en route was in charge of J. K. Hard of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. After being welcomed by Mr. Loomis, the visitors went to the Arlington hotel, which they made their headquarters while in the city. They remained there until about 9 o'clock, when they started on their sight-seeing trip, all of which, with the exception of the tour to Mount Vernon, was made in automobiles.

## Visit to the White House.

At the White House the party was escorted through the various public portions, including the east room and the red, blue and green parlors. Following this there was a hurried dash to the Russian embassy, situated in the beautiful residential section of the city. The house is one formerly occupied by Levi P. Morton when he was vice president, and it was very much admired by M. Witte.

The visit to the capitol and the congressional library, just across the capitol square, was of particular interest to the Russians. M. Witte leading the party through the capitol building and making many inquiries as to the various departments and house chambers. The whole building was shown to the visitors, and the old guide was delivered and the old guide was delivered and the old guide was delivered.

## At Mount Vernon.

From the congressional library the visitors went to Mount Vernon, the first to the navy yard, where about noon they boarded the naval steamer. The party arrived at Mount Vernon at 1 o'clock and spent an hour and a half going through the mansion and the old grounds. A feature of the visit was the planting of a fine, healthy ash tree in the garden, which was done in front of the mansion overlooking the water. M. Witte and Baron Rosen each planted a tree, and the former asked that it be named after him. The tree was planted in the garden, and the former asked that it be named after him.

## National Cemetery.

The trip from Mount Vernon to the National cemetery at Arlington was made here the visitors remained for some time after which they returned to Washington. The trip to the cemetery was made by rail, and the party returned to Washington by the same route. The trip to the cemetery was made by rail, and the party returned to Washington by the same route.

## HUNDREDS WERE ARRESTED.

Tokio, Sept. 10, 8 p. m.—The total number of riot suspects in custody exceeds 1,500. It is stated that formal charges will be made against 100. The remainder will probably be released. It is expected that the government will take prompt action against the rioters. General Sakuma and staff visited and inspected the guards throughout the city today. The restaurants were reopened tonight and conditions are resuming normal aspect.

## STEAMER STRANDED.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 10.—The steamer Iroquois, a small steamer plying between Sidney and Nanaimo, stranded during the heavy fog last night off Beacon hill, within a short distance from Victoria harbor, whether she was bound for repairs. She is high and dry, caught on some boulders within fifty yards of the shore.

## BRITISH SAFE.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 10.—It is officially reported that the British residents of Baku are safe.

The Riga and Orlov and the Baltic and Nikolai railroads have decided, in consequence of the scarcity of naphtha to purchase large quantities of English coal.

## SIGNING THE TREATY AT PORTSMOUTH.



As it really looked.



As it will look in the Great Historical Painting.

## GOVERNOR FOLK COMES TODAY

**Chief Executive of Missouri Will Be Honored in Salt Lake.**

## HIS STAY WILL BE BRIEF

**RECEPTION WILL BE HELD AT THE ALTA CLUB.**

GOVERNOR JOSEPH W. FOLK of Missouri and his party will arrive in Salt Lake City on the Oregon Short Line at 4:45 this afternoon and will remain until 11:45 this evening, when the journey to Portland will be resumed.

After Salt Laker had about concluded that Governor Folk would postpone his visit to Salt Lake until his return trip from Portland, a telegram came yesterday afternoon to N. P. Nelson, secretary to Governor John C. Cutler, from Hall Woodside, Governor Folk's secretary. In his message Mr. Woodside said:

"We find we can come via Salt Lake. Governor Folk and wife and staff, eight in all, will arrive in Salt Lake at 4:45 and remain until 11:45."

Governor Cutler at once took up his plans for entertaining the distinguished Missourian and his party. The hour of arrival rendered a visit to the lake impracticable, so the governor arranged for an organ recital at 5 o'clock. The party will be driven to the Tabernacle by the Oregon Short Line. Dinner will be served for them at the Alta club at 6:30. At the dinner Governor Cutler's guests will include, in addition to the visiting party, Senator Reed Smoot, Senator George Sutherland, Congressman Joseph Howell, Senator Simon Bamberger, Colonel Joseph G. H. Perry, W. E. Wingate and Senator Joseph L. Rawlins.

## EIGHT MISSING MEN FINALLY REACH PORT

Boothbay Harbor, Me., Sept. 10.—The fishing schooner Ella J. King, Captain Lawson, arrived here today from the Georges banks with the eight men of the crew of the Boston fishing schooner Joseph U. Cromwell. The crew arrived at Boston yesterday and reported that her commander, Captain Frazar, had committed suicide at sea and that the eight men had been lost in the fog while fishing from dories. The fishermen were picked up last Wednesday about midnight, and were taken to the island. They had been in their dories two days and a night without food. Captain Frazar committed suicide after he learned that eight of the men were missing.

## TWIN FALLS BRANCH OPENS

Regular Trains Now Running According to Schedule—Traffic Department in Charge.

Minidoka, Idaho, Sept. 10.—The new Twin Falls branch of the Oregon Short Line, extending from Minidoka to Twin Falls, a distance of fifty-nine miles, was opened today. The first passenger and freight trains were sent out on schedule time. This branch opens up new territory in southern Idaho, where great tracts of waste land near the Snake river have been made valuable by the carrying out of the government's Minidoka and the Twin Falls irrigation projects.

## SALT LAKERS CLOSE GIGANTIC DEAL

**The Bambergers and J. D. Wood Sell Oil Properly Near Los Angeles, California, to the Standard Oil Company For \$2,000,000 or More.**

Los Angeles oil interests held by Salt Lake men have just been sold to the Associated Oil company of California for a sum of money in excess of \$2,000,000. The Salt Laker who figure as sellers in the deal are Senator Simon Bamberger, J. E. Bamberger and J. D. Wood, who entered the oil fields of southern California four years ago when the properties were nothing better than promising prospects, and now close out their interests for a sum said to be between \$2,000,000 and \$2,500,000.

J. E. Bamberger has just returned from Los Angeles, where he went to close the deal, which is one of the largest in the history of southern California's oil operations. The company in which the Salt Lakers were interested is known as the Amalgamated Oil company. About a year ago the Salt Lake men disposed of about one-half of their holdings for a comparatively small sum for the purpose of aiding the development of the properties, which during the past year have grown so rapidly that they now have a daily capacity of 10,000 barrels. The Amalgamated Oil company owned about 2,000 acres, with forty producing wells, about eight miles from the wells to the city. The company has a fully equipped plant, with a storage capacity of about 400,000 barrels, and the field has become known as the most productive one in Los Angeles county.

With the recent transfer of stock the control of the company passes to the Associated company, which is affiliated with the Standard Oil company.



GOVERNOR FOLK OF MISSOURI.

Who Will Visit Salt Lake Today and Who Is Known as One of the Hardest Boogie-Fighters of the Age.

Governor Joseph W. Folk of Missouri, who is known as one of the hardest boogie fighters that the age has produced, is scheduled to arrive in Salt Lake this afternoon en route to the Oregon Short Line. He will be accompanied by his staff, and it is the regret of many citizens that his stay will necessarily be brief. They will leave on the 11:45 night train for Portland. However, everything possible will be done to entertain them during their short sojourn in Salt Lake. A Lewis-Clark exposition, He will be accompanied by his staff, and it is the regret of many citizens that his stay will necessarily be brief.

## DAM WASHED OUT.

El Paso, Tex., Sept. 10.—The Arizona dam, a costly dam, furnishing water to irrigate many hundreds of acres of land near Phoenix, with water from the Salt river, was washed out by a big rise in the stream. The dam was heavy.

## MME. GADSKY DECORATED.

Munich, Sept. 10.—Mme. Gadsby was the Brunnhilde in an opera festival Wednesday, Friday and Saturday nights last week with such effect that Prince Regent Leopold bestowed upon her King Ludwig's Order for Art and Science.

## WILD WITH JOY

**Russian Army Feasted on Receipt of News of Peace.**

## TERMS ACCEPTED AS FAIR

**FULL PRAISE IS ACCORDED TO ROOSEVELT.**

GUNSHU PASS, Manchuria, Saturday, Sept. 9.—News having been received that peace negotiations at Portsmouth are approaching a conclusion, the correspondent of the Associated Press has made a survey of all the Russian positions from Mongolia to headquarters, the object in part being to ascertain the manner in which the efforts making for peace were viewed by the army. The negotiations received no official recognition in the field prior to their successful conclusion, the army keeping in a state of preparedness for a battle until the receipt by General Linewich of a telegram from Emperor Nicholas declaring that the treaty had been signed and that his majesty accepted the conditions arrived at. This telegram was officially published in the army newspapers and the outlines of the peace conditions were printed in the same publication today.

## Soldiers Feasted.

The officers thereafter observed military decorum in the strictest sense, but the soldiers, with the exception of the officers, engaged in feasting and other forms of celebration. It will be a week more before the entire army is informed of the conclusion of peace, but the news was discounted long since by the prevailing confidence that the peace was a foregone conclusion. It may be said that to the ground and on being answered in the affirmative, they captured him and tossed him many times in the air after the manner of the Russians, while their officers gently protested the seemingly questionable form of their admiration.

## Joy Unrestrained.

Everywhere along the railway where newspapers could be obtained the soldiers eagerly scanned the news and then expressed their joy by singing, which they continued late into the night, at intervals cheering for President Roosevelt. With the exception of the loss of a captain and two orderlies on the east front within the past two weeks and of nine men in the center a week ago, there have been no casualties. The cessation of hostilities was preceded only by unimportant reconnaissance involving small parties of scouts. Care has been taken to prevent further loss of life.

## Siberians Were Fighters.

The fourth Siberian army corps, which played a conspicuous part throughout the war, was reviewed Sept. 5 by its commander, General Zaroubaitoff, who has won high fame throughout the army because of his promptness in the capture of Mukden and in the retreat from the Japanese position in the Chang Pashan range. It will require some time to reach all the elements operating in the interests of both armies and in restoring the regions occupied by both flanks to order.

## Believe Conditions Fair.

After a prolonged war on an enormous scale, and after the great preparations recently made to continue the struggle, the Russian army, in compliance with the conditions of peace, surrendered two complete positions, was forced to work out of the extent and even more intricate than that of the Russian army, and the Russian army, notwithstanding this, the correspondent found among both officers and men a general prevailing sense of the remarkable fairness of the condition by which a terrible war has been brought to a close.

## TANGIER UNSAFE FOR FOREIGN RESIDENTS

Tangier, Sept. 10.—Samuel R. Gurnea, the American minister, and a number of European inhabitants have abandoned their residences in the city and gone to the coast. Moroccan authorities, who said they were unable to guarantee their security owing to the disturbed condition of the surrounding districts, have advised the foreigners to leave. Ransoms and other tributes.

## CAPTAIN AND WIFE AND CREW DROWNED

Esbjerg, Denmark, Sept. 10.—The Norwegian steamer Venezia was wrecked today near Skallingen, on the southwest coast of Jutland. The captain and his wife and ten of the crew were drowned.

## FARCE A SUCCESS.

Chicago, Sept. 10.—"Sergeant Brue," the English musical farce, received its first local presentation at the Illinois theatre here tonight, under the management of Charles Dillingham, with Frank Danforth in the title role. The farce bids fair to duplicate in Chicago its success in London and New York. A crowded house was secured for the first performance of the farce, which is being given in "copper."

## TOURISTS WILL PASS THIS WAY

**Salt Lake the Mecca for Travelers East and West.**

## SAN PEDRO'S GOOD WORK

**PASSENGER AGENTS HAVE A ROYAL TIME IN CITY.**

THE California delegation to the Traveling Passenger Agents' convention visited Salt Lake yesterday. Their impressions of the city were pleasant. "There are one or two things," said Jay W. Adams, president of the Traveling Passenger Agents' association, "that I would like to say a word about, and particularly because I do not believe the importance of one of them has become apparent to your business men and citizens here. The new Salt Lake route is an new to the most of our members as it is to the traveling public in general and we all came the way from San Francisco to Los Angeles to see the new road. We are surprised. We are ready to admit that the new road is the cause of all new roads in the country, for it has more pleasing surprises in store for the tourist, who goes over the route, than almost any road I ever saw. The roads are usually rough and rugged. High spots predominate and the low spots are impressive in more ways than one. Borrowed equipment usually comes into use on the route, and it is difficult to get contracts delivered on time. This is what we sought to find in a greater or less degree. But to find a whole lot of our hats in admiration, and last, but not least, a pleasure trip, is a revelation. The service there is not only good, but it is a pleasure trip. I am sure that the service is one of the best of the Salt Lake dining car managers, who served bowl of fruit punch to our ladies, loaded us all up on lemonade and other delectable refreshments, and made our journey across the hot sands one long delightful dream."

## This Means Business.

"But that's not the important thing," said a business man, "want to know, though it is one of them. This new road is going to mean more immediate advantage to Salt Lake City than to Los Angeles or any other point, and for good business reasons. Hereafter the bulk of the transcontinental tourist trade has gone via the Rio Grande and the Colorado river, to the coast and hundreds of thousands of tourists in years past have gone within a few miles of Salt Lake City and never have seen it. I understand that about the first of October, a through car arrangement will be made between Salt Lake City and the Union Pacific, and its eastern connections, by which a large percentage of the tourist trade will be diverted to Salt Lake City. This will give opportunity to see your superb valley and city; real estate men here will have a good thing to sell. Tourists will come to the city; business men will be able to lay before them the advantages afforded in mercantile lines—in fact, Salt Lake City will have the first chance at the west bound tourist crop and ought to be able to gather some of the trade."

## Mines Attract Many Visitors.

"Your mines are attracting wide attention," said a California delegate, "and to the opportunities offered in Utah to the Nevada and Arizona. The opinions of mining men here are in favor of the mines. There will be an influx of eastern tourists in years past have gone within a few miles of Salt Lake City and never have seen it. I understand that about the first of October, a through car arrangement will be made between Salt Lake City and the Union Pacific, and its eastern connections, by which a large percentage of the tourist trade will be diverted to Salt Lake City. This will give opportunity to see your superb valley and city; real estate men here will have a good thing to sell. Tourists will come to the city; business men will be able to lay before them the advantages afforded in mercantile lines—in fact, Salt Lake City will have the first chance at the west bound tourist crop and ought to be able to gather some of the trade."

## Have a Good Time in Zion.

Mr. Adams' sentiment found echo on all sides during the visit. The California delegation, when evening came they were all tired, for it had been a day of steady sight-seeing, but they weren't too weary to say all sorts of nice things about the trip. "The treatment your people have given us," said W. G. Rouse, "is beyond anything we could have expected, and we are accustomed to such affairs. Our money has been useless. And we have been attending to the sight-seeing until we're all of us tired out. The first thing that impressed the party was the fact that instead of being sidetracked in the yards, they were taken right up to the depot. Then they boarded a street car and got to the second impression. The conductor took them right through until he came to the California crowd. He referred to the California crowd. At the Kenyon they could not buy dining room tickets when they tried. Manager Don Porter and his clerks went to take the place—that it was there. A young man, looking like a clerk, was about the town and Mr. Adams during the local excitement to visit the various places and things about the city. The resort where the train carried them to was a second private car, and no one was to be paid even rent for the party and the ladies to visit the various clubs of the city. But most of them were tired out by evening and ready to retire."

## Special Organ Recital.

In the late afternoon John J. McDaniel gave a special recital to a large audience listened. Then for the special benefit of the California visitors he gave a second private concert, which was intensely enjoyed. Cards were sent to the car inviting the members of the party and the ladies to visit the various clubs of the city. But most of them were tired out by evening and ready to retire."

## SITUATION IMPROVING.

**Troops Pouring Into Caucasus From All Directions.**

St. Petersburg, Sept. 10.—M. Pappke, the St. Petersburg representative of the Baku bourse, said to the Bakov Press today that the situation at Baku continued to show a distinct improvement. Telegrams received by M. Pappke today report the steady arrival of troops, five further battalions having reached Baku, and the worst is believed to be over. Later reports show that in addition to the reinforcements in the "black town" district, about 30 per cent of the oil property in the well district escaped.

A lamentable feature of the situation, according to M. Pappke, is the condition of the workmen, many of whom are without sufficient clothing and utterly destitute.

M. Pappke paid a high compliment to Finance Minister Kokovtsov for the energy with which he has acted since the uprising. The minister visited the emperor twice to lay before him the gravity of the situation, as the result of which his majesty telegraphed to the viceroy to spare his efforts to protect this important industry.